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1. During the first quarter of 1952, a total of 2,136,328 railroad cars were loaded. The target figure had been fixed at 2,318,110 units, while the number of railroad cars requested amounted to 1,930,926. The actual loading performance was 131,282 cars below the fixed target.

2. Following is a breakdown of goods carried during the period mentioned:

Type of Goods	Number of Carloads	Fulfillment of Target in Percentage
unknown, for occupation power	42,254	167.5
coal	766,113	98.3
ore	12,332	30.3
metal	35,082	98.6
timber	35,543	90.6
chemicals	65,132	100.2
fertilizers	112,753	72
liquid fuels	47,323	95.8
building material	207,773	91.1
cement	24,363	67.8
timber	94,143	100.8
other materials	54,014	91.7

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Type of Goods	Number of Carloads	Relation to Target Figures in Percent
potatoes	2,152	162.9
grain	22,436	36
fruits and vegetables	1,256	45.1
sugar beets	9,726	34.5
seeds	5,756	77.1
soaps	12,006	94.4
unrefined sugar	6,437	52.3
salt	14,794	103
alcohol	1,307	121.5
livestock	20,343	76.6
foodstuffs	30,536	100.2
fabrics	20,655	69.8
piece goods	206,170	110.3
miscellaneous	263,301	36.8
Total	2,136,823	94.3

## 3. Loading performance broken down according to railroad districts:

Railroad District	Number of Cars Loaded	Fulfillment of Target in Percentage
Berlin	145,367	91.6
Greifswald	73,421	111.7
Schwerin	94,915	101.8
Gotthaus	267,366	76.9
Desseldorf	278,359	39.2
Halle	609,697	96.9
Wurzburg	301,411	39
Dresden	336,492	93
Total	2,136,823	94.3 *

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